DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi is being harvested in all parts of the district. Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Dodballapur, Channapatna, Devanhalli and Closepet Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported that 'Black-quarter' and 'Rinderpest' are prevailing in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk and in Arekere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore Taluk, and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, avare, sugarcane, bengalgram, giddaragi, potatoes and jola are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Giddaragi in parts of Sidlaghatta Taluk, paddy in parts of Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, avare, thogari, horsegram, tobacco, turmeric and potatoes, Sugarcane milling in Goribidnur, Chikballapur, Sidlaghatta, Srinivaspur and and Chintamani Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Generally good except for Plague in Hunasenahalli, Desahalli, Magondi in Bowringpet Taluk and Bowringpet Town; in some villages of Kasaba, Kaivara, Ambajidurga and Murugamale Hoblis in Chintamani Taluk; in a few villages in Mulbagal Taluk, in many villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk; Badaniganhalli, Hiriyanahalli, Patrenhalli, Sulikunte, Kariganapalya, Thippenahalli, Ramapatna, Kammatanahalli, Chiknagavalli, Keswara, Anngatta, Kuduvathi, Doddamarali in Chikballapur Taluk and also in Chikballapur Town; Gowdagere and its surrounding villages in Goribidnur Taluk; in parts of Malur Taluk and Yeldur, Ronoor and its surrounding villages in Srinivaspur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted to check the spread of the diseases.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for some contageous disease at Agalagurki Village, Chikallapur Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Transplantation of paddy in Chiknaikanhalli, Pavagada and parts of Tumkur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turvekere Taluks; jola in Koratagere, Madhugiri, Chiknaikanhalli, Sira and Gubbi Taluks; Horsegram in Tumkur and Chiknaikanhalli; and Greengram in Tumkur Taluk only.

Crops Harvested.—Horsegram in Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; sugarcane in Gubbi and Sira Taluks; ragi in Tumkur and jola, sajje and bengalgram in Chiknaikanhalli Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are generally available.

Cattle are reported to be healthy except for prevalance of 'Rinderpest' in a village of Turvekere Taluk and 'Blackquarter' in a village each of Tumkur, Madhugiri and Tiptur Taluks. The Veterinary Inspectors are reported to have been addressed for taking necessary measures to arrest the spread of the diseases.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops such as cotton, sugarcane, mulberry, paddy and bengalgram are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, horsegram in Mysore Taluk; paddy, ragi, thogari in Chamarajnagar Taluk; bengalgram in T.-Narsipur Taluk; sugarcane in Mandya, Maddur Taluks. Bengalgram, and coriander in Nagamangala Taluk; paddy, ragi and coriander in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk; sugarcane and bengalgram in French-Rocks Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Belur Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk; bengalgram, car-paddy, menthya and sambar in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Chennarayapatna Taluks; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Chennarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; sugarcane in the Belur and Chennarayapatna Taluks; horsegram, in the Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; gingelly, avare, greengram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Favourable.

No signs of famine.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks except in some parts of Chennarayapatna Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk where it is reported that sheep-pox and hæmorragic scepticæmia are prevailing respectively and that the Veterinary Department has been addressed in the matter.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations and Seeds Sown.*—Sugarcane is being planted in the taluk of Chennagiri and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of the Standing Crops.—Standing crops, such as sugarcane, cotton, bengalgram and greengram in several parts of the district are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Cotton in the taluks of Chennagiri and Honnali; wheat in Honnali Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in the taluks of Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi and horsegram in Shikarpur Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; horsegram in Sagar Taluk are being harvested. Sugarcane milling is being attended to in the taluks of Shimoga, Honnali and Sagar.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Food grains are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available for the cattle.

KADUR.

8 Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, bengalgram, jola, and coffee are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane and Bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy, jola and coriandar in Tarikere Taluk, coffee and sugarcane in Koppa Taluk, paddy and sugarcane in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. Cattle are healthy in general. Rinderpest is prevailing in Aladahalli Village, Birur Hobli, Kadur Taluk and Haledanivasa in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk. It is reported that the concerned Veterinary Inspectors have been requested to take up suitable measures for the prevention and cure of the disease. Rinderpest and Chapperoga which were prevailing in Lingadahalli and Bukkambudhi villages respectively, are reported to be subsiding.

Water and fodder are available in all the taluks and Sub-Taluks in the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplanting of paddy and sowing of groundnut and sugarcane are reported to be going on in Hiriyur Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in a fairly good condition and reported to be withering for want of rain in some parts of Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane and bilijola in Hiriyur Taluk; ragi, navane, horsegram and bengalgram in Holalkere Taluk; bilijola, kadle and cotton in Davangere Taluk; bilijola and kadle in Jagalur Taluk and bilijola in Hosdurga Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except in Siddapura in Chellakere Taluk where cattle are reported to be suffering from "Blackquarter." Necessary remedial measures are being taken by the Veterinary Inspector concerned to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

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Revenue Commissioner.